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**PETITION FOR INVESTIGATION OF
QUESTION CONCERNING REPRESENTATION**

Instructions: See other side of form.

Applicable Rules: See Chapter 391-55 WAC.

The "Petitioner identified below claims that a question concerning representation exists involving certain employees of the "employer" identified below.

1. EMPLOYER: Kitsap County

Contact Person: Fernando J. Connill, Labor Relations Manager

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CONSULTANT OR

ATTORNEY:

Address:

City/State:

Telephone:

2. PETITIONER: Kitsap County Juvenile Probation Officers Guild

Contact Person: Carrie Prater

Address: 1338 SW Old Clifton Road

City/State: Port Orchard, WA

Telephone: 360-337-5401

CONSULTANT OR

ATTORNEY: James M. Cline

Address: CLINE & ASSOCIATES

1001 Fourth Ave., Suite 2301

City/State: Seattle, WA 98154

Telephone: 206-838-8770 Fax 206-838-8775

3. INCUMBENT BARGAINING REPRESENTATIVE Indicate:

☒ [X]- The employees involved are not currently represented for bargaining;
or

☐ []- The employees involved are currently represented by:

ORGANIZATION:

Contact Person:

Address:

City/State:

Telephone:

CONSULTANT OR

ATTORNEY:

Address:

City/State:

Telephone:

4. COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT Indicate:

☒ [X] There has never been a collective bargaining agreement covering the employees involved, or

☐ [] A copy of the current (or most recent) applicable collective bargaining agreement is attached.

5. SHOWING OF INTEREST Indicate, if applicable:

☒ [X] The original of this petition is accompanied by timely individual authorization cards or letters showing that the petition has the support of at least 30% of the employees in the bargaining unit claimed appropriate.

6. BARGAINING UNIT

a. **EMPLOYER'S PRINCIPAL BUSINESS:** County government

b. **DEPARTMENT OR DIVISION INVOLVED:** Kitsap County
Juvenile Department

c. **DESCRIPTION OF BARGAINING UNIT INVOLVED:** Indicate inclusions and exclusions, or note contract page: All full time and regular part time Juvenile Court Services Division employees.

d. **NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES INVOLVED:** 25

7. DESIGNATION OF REQUEST Indicate one:

☒ [X] **RECOGNITION REQUEST.** The petitioner claims that it represents a majority of the employees involved, and hereby requests certification as exclusive bargaining representative of the employees in the bargaining unit.

☐ [] **RECOGNITION REFUSED.** The employer declines, after having been requested to do so, to recognize the petitioner as the exclusive bargaining unit.

☐ [] **CHANGE OF REPRESENTATION.** The employees in the bargaining unit desire to change their designation of exclusive bargaining, and to designate the petitioner as their exclusive bargaining representative.

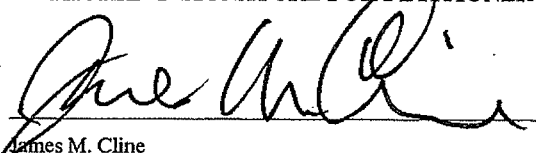
☐ [] **DECERTIFICATION.** The employees in the bargaining unit do not wish to be represented by any organization.

☐ [] **EMPLOYER PETITION:** The employer has been presented with one or more demands for recognition, and requests a determination by the Commission.

8. OTHER RELEVANT FACTS Indicate, if applicable:

☐ [] Additional information is set forth in separate sheets of paper attached to this petition.

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE FOR PETITIONER



James M. Cline

TITLE: Attorney

DATE: 09-03-09

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Sent: Thursday, September 03, 2009 12:06 PM
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Subject: Kitsap County Juvenile Probation Officers Guild - Petition for Investigation of Question Concerning Representation
Attachments: 2009.09.03_Petition for Investigation_signed.pdf

Attached is a Petition which will be placed in today's U.S. mail to PERC and Mr. Connill. DG Pettersen, Legal Assistant to James M. Cline

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